



**ASEAN FOREIGN MINISTERS' STATEMENT
ON THE TERRORIST ATTACKS IN JOLO, SULU, THE PHILIPPINES**

29 August 2020

ASEAN strongly condemns the terrorist attacks in Jolo, Sulu, the Philippines on 24th August 2020, which resulted in the loss of lives and caused injury to many. ASEAN extends its deepest sympathies and condolences to the Government and people of the Republic of the Philippines, especially to the bereaved families, and wishes the injured a quick recovery.

ASEAN fully supports the efforts of the Government of the Philippines in addressing the situation and bringing the perpetrators to justice. ASEAN stands in solidarity with the Government and people of the Philippines during this difficult time. ASEAN also reaffirms its commitment to working closely with the international community in the fight against terrorism in all its forms and manifestations.

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